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TOPIC Transfer to Altengrabow of Units of the 20th Army AT Arty Brig (US)
from Brandenburg.

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1. The following troops and materiel from Flak Kaserne were entrained for Altengrabow at the Brandenburg-Altstadt railroad station on 3 and 4 May 1954:

3 May.

At 7 a.m., 12 x 57-mm AT guns, 28 trucks with billeting equipment and ammunition, [REDACTED] 25X1C

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[REDACTED] ambulance [REDACTED] 25 boxcarloads of billeting equipment and ammunition; and about 150 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia on 5 converted boxcars. The shipment left at 12:30 p.m. 25X1C

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At 12:30 p.m., 8 x 57-mm AT guns, 25 trucks with straw mattresses and equipment

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[REDACTED] 3 boxcarloads of equipment and ammunition, and about 100 troops on 4 converted boxcars. The shipment left at 6 p.m.

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At 6 p.m. 2 x 100-mm AT guns, 2 x 85-mm AT guns, 2 x 57-mm AT guns, 20 trucks with equipment [REDACTED] 25X1C

[REDACTED] 12 boxcarloads of equipment and ammunition and 4 converted boxcars with troops. The shipment left at 9:45 p.m. 25X1C

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At 10 p.m. 6 x 85-mm AT guns, 20 trucks, [REDACTED] and other materiel and troops on 20 boxcars and 7 converted boxcars. The train left at 5:50 a.m. on 4 May.

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At 6 a.m. 8 x 85-mm AT guns, 2 x 76.2-mm AT guns, 25 trucks, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and troops and material on 6 boxcars and 4 converted boxcars. The train left at 11 a.m.

On 5 May, the Flak Kaserne was occupied by 30 to 50 troops.

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2. The entraining of the troops from Flak Kaserne in Brandenburg started at 7 a.m. on 3 May. Twenty 57-mm AT guns, about 500 troops and about 47 trucks, [Redacted]

[Redacted] and carrying billeting equipment, some of which was shuttled to Altenstaedter Bahnhof, were observed. The troops allegedly left for Altengrabow. The entraining was completed on 4 May.

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[Redacted] Comment. The transfer to Altengrabow of the 20th Army AT Arty Brig (IS) on 3 and 4 May, which, [Redacted] involved 5

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trains, [Redacted] According to information in paragraph 1, a total of 42 AT guns was entrained. This figure indicates that [Redacted] the bulk of the two regiments stationed in Brandenburg. The fact that the [Redacted] about 20 x 57-mm AT guns, as well as previous information, tends to indicate that the brigade is assigned 1 regiment with 24 x 57-mm AT guns, 1 regiment with 24 x 85-mm AT guns and 1 regiment with 24 x 100-mm AT guns. According

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